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	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fees Paid (\$)</u>
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Small Entity

Fee (\$) Fee (\$)

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Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

200 100

Multiple dependent claims

360 180

Total Claims

Extra Claims

Fee (\$)

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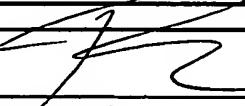
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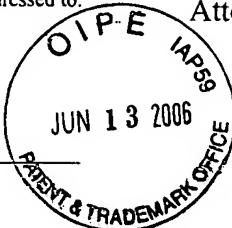
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Athanassios Diacakis

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FILTERING UNAVAILABLE DEVICES
IN A PRESENCE AND AVAILABILITY
MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

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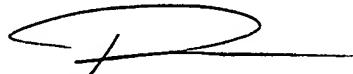
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